

Exhibit 1



Direct all response by mail to the office listed below:
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE
539 South La Salle Street # Citizenship Office
Chicago IL 60605

U.S. Department of Justice
Immigration and Naturalization Service

Adel Saleh Ali Rashed
4730 North Spaulding # 3 E
Chicago IL 60625

Refer to App ID No.: LIN*000442044
Refer to Alien No.: A 046 172 851
Date: 1 MAR 24 2004

NOTICE OF DENIAL DUE TO ABANDONMENT

Dear Mr./Mrs. Rashed:

This notice informs you that the Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) has deemed your application for naturalization abandoned and denied. The INS has denied your application for failure to appear for fingerprinting.

You filed an application for naturalization (Form N-400) with the Nebraska Service Center on March 19, 2002. Every applicant for naturalization, except those 75 years or older, residing in the United States must be fingerprinted in accordance with 8 CFR 103.2(e)(2) and 316.4(b). On October 21, 2003, INS sent you a request to appear for fingerprinting. The notice instructed you to appear for fingerprinting at INS BROADWAY during the 87-day period beginning on November 8, 2003. The INS has no record that you appeared for fingerprinting during this period. Additionally, INS did not receive a request to reschedule your fingerprint appointment before the expiration of this period. Therefore, your application has been deemed abandoned for failure to comply with the request for appearance to be fingerprinted. Accordingly, your application for naturalization is deemed abandoned and denied pursuant to 8 CFR 103.2(b)(13).

The decision on your application may not be appealed. However, you may file a motion to reopen, in accordance with 8 CFR 103.5, without a filing fee.

If you choose to file a motion to reopen, the motion must be filed with evidence that this decision was in error because:

- 1) The request for appearance was complied with during the allotted time period;
- 2) The request for appearance was sent to an address other than the last known address as reflected on the application for naturalization, on the notice of representation or in Service records, and you did not receive the notice; or
- 3) You advised INS, in writing, of a change of address or change of representation subsequent to filing your application for naturalization and before

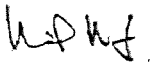
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the request for evidence was sent, and the request did not go to the new address.

A motion to reopen must be filed with this office within 30 days of the service of this decision. If you do not file a motion to reopen within 30 days, the decision to deny your application will be final.

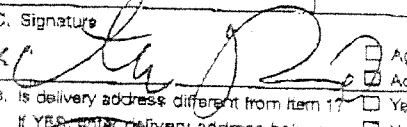
Compliance with the request for appearance to be fingerprinted at this time will not overcome the decision on your application. Denial of this application is without prejudice to the filing of a new application with the appropriate fee.

Sincerely,



Michael M Comfort
District Director



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<p>2. Article Number (Copy from service label)</p> <p>7002 2410 0002 5055 5453</p>		<p>3. Service Type</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Registered Mail <input type="checkbox"/> Express Mail</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Insured Mail <input type="checkbox"/> Return Receipt for Merchandise</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> C.O.D.</p>	
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